Under the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended

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INSTRUCTIONS: A registrant must furnish as an Exhibit B copies of each written agreement and the terms and conditions of each oral agreement with his foreign principal, including all modifications of such agreements; or, where no contract exists, a full statement of all the circumstances by reason of which the registrant is acting as an agent of a foreign principal. This form shall be filed in triplicate for each foreign principal named in the registration statement and must be signed by or on behalf of the registrant.

Privacy Act Statement. Every registration statement, short form registration statement, supplemental statement, exhibit, amendment, dissemination report, copy of political propaganda or other document or information filed with the Attorney General under this act is a public record open to public examination, inspection and copying during the posted business hours of the Registration Unit in Washington, D.C. One copy is automatically provided to the Secretary of State pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act, and copies of such documents are routinely made available to other agencies, departments and Congress pursuant to Section 6(c) of the Act. Finally, the Attorney General transmits an annual report to the Congress on the Administration of the Act which lists the names of all agents and the nature, sources and content of the political propaganda disseminated or distributed by them. This report is available to the public.

Public Reporting Burden. Public reporting burden for this collection of information is estimated to average .33 hours per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. Send comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing this burden to Chief, Registration Unit, Criminal Division, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, D.C. 2050; and to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Washington, D.C. 20503.

Name of Registrant
Representative for German Industry and Trade

Name of Foreign Principal Deutscher Industrie- und Handelstag (DIHT) Bundesverband der Deutschen Industrie (BDI)

## Check Appropriate Boxes:

- LUThe agreement between the registrant and the above-named foreign principal is a formal written contract. If this box is checked, attach three copies of the contract to this exhibit.
- 2.1 There is no formal written contract between the registrant and foreign principal. The agreement with the above-named foreign principal has resulted from an exchange of correspondence. If this box is checked, attach three copies of all pertinent correspondence, including a copy of any initial proposal which has been adopted by reference in such correspondence.
- 3. X The agreement or understanding between the registrant and the foreign principal is the result of neither a formal written contract nor an exchange of correspondence between the parties. If this box is checked, give a complete description below of the terms and conditions of the oral agreement or understanding, its duration, the fees and the expenses, if any, to be received.

Predecessor of RGIT was the Washington office of the German American Chamber of Commerce, Inc., established in 1976. Operations developed without specific written instructions and are continued this way under the joint supervision of the two new principals. The function of RGIT is to contribute to the exchange of information between the U.S.A. and the Federal Republic of Germany on behalf of German business in reflecting views of BDI and DIHT. Addressees are the public and the U.S. Government in particular. The duration of this understanding is not limited in time. Operating expenses and salaries are covered by the principals.

4. Describe fully the nature and method of performance of the above indicated agreement or understanding. RGIT reports - generally in writing - to its principals on U.S. rules and legislation and major economic developments of relevance to U.S.-German trade and investment. RGIT also informs the U.S. public and government about German business and views of German business on economic, legislative and administrative action of mutual concern.

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(2) F(1) FORM CRM 155 € SEPRE 5. Describe fully the activities the registrant engages in or proposes to engage in on behalf of the above foreign principal. Activities include meetings with U.S. business, participation in conferences, oral testimony and written submissions to the U.S. Government, distribution of documents and press releases, appointments for visitors from Germany - and mirror activities in the Federal Republic of Germany.

6. Will the activities on behalf of the above foreign principal include political activities as defined in Section 1(o) of the Act?

Yes X 1 No [ ]

If yes, describe all such political activities indicating, among other things, the relations, interests or policies to be influenced together with the means to be employed to achieve this purpose.

The primary objective of the office is to inform U.S. contacts, primarily U.S. industry, about activities and views of German business. The U.S. Government occasionally is approached on issues concerning international trade or investment, e.g. non-tariff barriers, avoidance of double taxation, import restrictions, policies on foreign investment, export promotion or controls and the like. While the individual issues change, the policy is to contribute to maintaining an open international trade and investment climate. This is done through personal conversation with or submission of written materials to members or committees of Congress, federal regulatory agencies or executive branch officials.

Date of Exhibit B

Fd.S, 1980

Name and Title Dr. Lothar Griessbach

President

Signature

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Political activity as defined in Section I(o) of the Act means the dissemination of political propagands and any other activity which the person engaging therein believes will, or which he interests to present upon, indoctrinate, consert, induce, persuade, or in any other way influence any agency or official of the Government of the United States or any section of the public within the United States with reference to formulating, adopting or changing the domestic or foreign policies of the United States or with reference to the political or public interests, policies, or relations of a government of a foreign country or a foreign political perty.